

KENTUCKY HISTORIC RESOURCES
ABBREVIATED SURVEY FORM
(KHC 2005-1)

COUNTY: Lewis
RESOURCE # LW-V-94

1. NAME OF RESOURCE:

Hammond-Queen House

2. ADDRESS/LOCATION:

156 Second Street
Vanceburg, KY 41179

3. OWNER/ADDRESS:

The Center for Appalachian Philanthropy
513 Second Street
PO Box 643
Portsmouth, OH 45662

4. YOUR NAME:

Fonda Warnock

15. PRIMARY WALL MATERIAL:

Weatherboard

16. ROOF CONFIGURATION/COVERING:

CONFIGURATION

Hipped

COVERING

Asphalt Shingle

17. CONDITION:

Good

18. PHOTO



5. DATE RECORDED:

March 20, 2014

6. REFERENCES:

7. ORIGINAL PRIMARY FUNCTION:

Single Family Residential

9. CONSTRUCTION DATE:

1908

10. DATE OF MAJOR MODIFICATIONS:

1950's (estimated)

11. CONSTRUCTION METHOD/MATERIAL:

Platform framing / Wood

12. DIMENSIONS:

Height 3 Width 2 Depth 2

13. STYLE:

American 4-Square

14. FOUNDATION:

TYPE MATERIAL
Continuous Stone

COMMENTS/HISTORICAL INFORMATION:

See Attached

UTM coord mates:
NAD 27: 16/820 862.90/4278 648.77
NAD 83: 16/820 854.75/4278 855.68

20. SUPPORT RESOURCES: SITE PLAN KEY FUNCTION CONSTRUCTION DATE METHOD MATERIAL

Main Structure

21. SITE PLAN (Complete if #20 was answered).

See Attached

22. MAP (Scan or attach copy of map showing exact location of resource)

See Attached

23. History

The downtown section of the city of Vanceburg retains a number of period residences from the 19th and early 20th centuries, but the Hammond/Queen House is the best example of Edwardian period American architecture. A modified American 4-Square design, the house retains its original woodwork and hardware.

The house was nearly completed when the original owners, the C.W. Hammond Family suffered the tragedy of the death of their young daughter, Virginia. Mrs. Hammond lost all interest in finishing her new home and it was subsequently sold to the Russell Queen family who lived next door. The Queen's finished the house and maintained residence until their deaths. Their son, 94 year old, Dr. George Queen, DDS, lived there until 2010 when he moved into an apartment across the street where he still resides.

Mrs. Queen operated a Boarding House in the residence when the Army Corps of Engineers was constructing the old Dam across the Ohio River.

One of the Hammond sons, Charles worked on the Manhattan Project.